



Rwanda

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Forgiveness, Gratitude and Appreciation for Well-Being LemonAid Fund and IBUKA Association



Women’s Journey – RWANDA

Are you interested in the exhilaration of making a personal difference to people who have experienced Genocide? Does it peak your interest to be part of LemonAid Fund’s Forgiveness, Gratitude and Appreciation program that transforms trauma responses to well-being? Does having an opportunity to bring tools of recovery/resiliency to IBUKA Association who is working with the perpetrators of the Genocide against the Tutsis whom will be released after 25 years in prison in Rwanda spark your passion? Do you have a sense of adventure? Do you want to explore the Natural Parks, stunning lakes and wildlife? Does immersing yourself in a culture and understanding the psyche of the people appeal to you? If so this volunteer opportunity is for you as it provides opportunities to learn to be global citizens through service-learning. It affords adventure to the extraordinary country of Rwanda. The trip will focus on work with the IBUKA Association and visit IRIBA Shalom (a community of widows LemonAid Fund brought it’s FGA approach to in 2016), teaming up with the locals, hand’s on work with local’s to understand sharing LemonAid Fund’s evidence based Forgiveness, Gratitude and Appreciation approach in a sustainable manner as well as a bit of seeing the sites of this tiny country that has experienced so much in its history. Rwanda has evolved into one of the African continent’s safest and most stable countries.

<p>Destination Dates and Location</p>	<p>Kigali, Arrive <u>February 5</u> leave after 2 PM, <u>February 15, 2020</u> <u>10 Nights</u></p>
<p><u>LemonAid Fund FGA Journey Fee Donate Button (if you use this you need to please pay the credit card/donor fee)</u></p>	<p>US \$150 application fee non-refundable and application by August 1 2019 (find</p> <p>TOTAL US\$6,350.00 with a deposit of \$500 to be paid upon acceptance to the program. \$3,700 due September 15, 2019 to reserve your spot and ensure your Safari as space is very limited. The Balance \$2,000 is due by December 1, 2019</p> <p>Payments can be made on line by clicking the donate button through Networkforgood (credit card must add user fee) or mailed to LemonAid Fund, 490 Lincoln Ave. West, Highland Park, IL 60035 or use Chase Bank (Zelle or Venmo)</p>
<p>Included in Fee</p>	<p>Accommodations (double occupancy), all meals but 2 in country; transportation in country; cultural events; Safari cost including the park fee; T-shirt; hosting service project participation and materials; angel card session; receptions; donations at memorials, churches and to organizations we will visit, and tips.</p>



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Leaders and Organizations	LemonAid Fund http://www.lemonaidfund.org/the-global-fga-well-being-approach.html with IBUKA http://ibuka.org.rw/
Am I Eligible?	An completed application, \$150 non-refundable application fee and an interview is necessary along with a desire to make a positive and lasting difference in your own life and the lives of others.
Requirements	Extensive walking, willing to work with locals, commitment to participate in and provide volunteer services for LemonAid Fund's FGA program implementation.
How Early Can I Apply?	Starting June 15, 2019
What is the Latest I Can Apply?	December 1, 2019 (or please ask)
When Will I Know my Application is Confirmed?	Within 24 hours of the interview.
Cancelation Information	If canceled by December 1, 2019 50% of your money will be refunded minus \$150 non-refundable Application Fee. We will cancel if we do not have the minimum participants.
TAX-Deduction	A portion of this program will be tax-deductible and a letter from LemonAid Fund will be sent out after the program.
Some added information	We will provide you with a check list for what to bring on the trip, what to expect, key emergency information and what to leave behind. We will ask you to wear professional dress or your LemonAid Fund shirt the entire time we are working as you will be representing LemonAid Fund and dress is important in developing countries. You will have the support of 2 leaders throughout the trip so you do not need to worry about whether or not you are capable because we will teach you what you need to know and support you throughout. Single occupancy is \$100 per day however the Safari is based on a shared room rate so you will need to double up for the last 2 nights.
Draft Itinerary	Arrive Kigali by February 5, 2020 Overnight Kigali, Rwanda Nationals from a handful of countries including the U.S. and the UK can purchase a visa on arrival. Check your visa requirements on the Rwanda Immigration website.
	February 6, 2020 Kigali Kigali Genocide Memorial for a tour. Here you will remember, grieve and learn more about the place where more than 250,000 victims of the genocide were laid to rest. Meet IBUKA Members. Overnight Kigali
	February 7, 2020 Travel to Butare Rwanda University, Museum and our base for engaging in our Service Project with IBUKA
	February 8-9, 2020 Butare or surrounds Host FGA Service Project
	February 10, 2020 Nyungwe Forest on the way to Cyanugugu
	February 11, 2020 Visit IRIBA Shalom Service Project and Reception
	February 12, 2020 Boat Ride on Lake Kivu to Rubavu (formerly Gisenyi), Rosalind Carr's house where Jane Fossey frequented. Overnight Rubavu
	February 13-14, 2020 transfer to Akagera National Park for a 2 Day Safari
	February 15, 2020 transfer to Kigali



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